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EDUCATION

BA Reed College, Portland, OR
Economics (2000)
MA University of California, Irvine
Economics (2006)
PhD University of California, Irvine
Economics (2007)

APPOINTMENTS

Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Tulane University (2007–2015)

RESEARCH FIELDS

Labor economics, applied econometrics, health economics

RESEARCH INTERESTS

External effects of incarceration and crime, substance abuse and addiction, program evaluation

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- Keith Finlay. 2009. **Effect of Employer Access to Criminal History Data on the Labor Market Outcomes of Ex-Offenders and Non-Offenders.** In David Autor, editor, *Studies of Labor Market Intermediation*, pp. 89–125. National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) and University of Chicago Press. (Also published as NBER Working Paper 13935.)
- Keith Finlay and Leandro M. Magnusson. 2009. **Implementing Weak Instrument Robust Tests for a General Class of Instrumental Variables Models.** *Stata Journal* 9(3): 398–421.
- Keith Finlay and David Neumark. 2010. **Is Marriage Always Good for Children? Evidence from Families Affected by Incarceration.** *Journal of Human Resources* 45(4):

1046–88. (Also published as NBER Working Paper 13928.)

- Scott Cunningham and Keith Finlay. 2013. **Parental Substance Use and Foster Care: Evidence from Two Methamphetamine Supply Shocks.** *Economic Inquiry* 51(1): 764–82.
- James Alm and Keith Finlay. 2013. **Who Benefits from Tax Evasion?** *Economic Analysis and Policy* 43(2): 139–54.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- Keith Finlay, Leandro Magnusson, and Mark E. Schaffer. 2013. **weakiv: Weak Instrument Robust Tests and Confidence Intervals for Instrumental-Variable (IV) Estimation of Linear, Probit, and Tobit Models.** Software published 13 August 2013 on *Statistical Software Components* at <http://ideas.repec.org/c/boc/bocode/s457684.html>. (Last updated 4 October 2014.)

WORKING PAPERS: REVISE AND RESUBMITS

- Keith Finlay. 2015. **Stigma in the Labor Market.** Revision requested from *Journal of Human Resources*.
- Scott Cunningham and Keith Finlay. 2015. **Identifying Demand Responses to Illegal Drug Supply Interdictions.** Revision requested from *Health Economics*.
- Keith Finlay, Charles Stoecker, and Scott Cunningham. 2015. **Willingness-to-Pay for Pharmaceutical Retail Convenience: Evidence from a Contingent Choice Experiment.** Revision requested from *PLOS One*.

WORKING PAPERS: CIRCULATING

- Scott Cunningham, Charles Stoecker, and Keith Finlay. 2015. **Are Prescription-only Precursor Control Laws a Prescription to Lower the Social Costs of Methamphetamine?** Under review at the *International Journal of Drug Policy*.
- Keith Finlay. 2015. **I Hope You Know This Will Go Down on Your Permanent Record: Juvenile Transfer and Deterrence.**
- Keith Finlay and Leandro M. Magnusson. 2015. **Bootstrap Methods for Inference with Cluster-Sample IV Models.**

FUNDING

- National Science Foundation, **Tulane Research Experience for Undergraduates in Applied Microeconomics and Program Evaluation (Treu-Ampe)**, Co-PI, \$346,280 (2010–2013)
- Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF), **Assessing the Impact of Regulating Purchase of Pseudoephedrine on the Public Health Costs of Methamphetamine Production and Use**, PI, \$116,462 (2012–2014)

COURSES

Undergraduate

- Econometrics, urban economics, labor economics, program evaluation/causal inference

Ph.D.

- Econometrics, program evaluation/causal inference

PRESENTATIONS

Invited presentations

2007 California State University, East Bay

- Tulane University
- University of Toronto, Centre for Industrial Relations and Human Resources
- University of California, Riverside

2008 Baylor University

- National Longitudinal Survey of Youth 1997 (NLSY97) 10th Anniversary Conference, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Washington
- Public Policy Institute of California, San Francisco

2009 Louisiana State University

2013 Tulane University, Department of Psychiatry

2015 Emory University (planned)

Conference presentations

2007 Measuring Discriminations Conference, Université d'Evry Val d'Essonne, France

- Southern Economics Association (SEA) Meetings, New Orleans
- NBER Labor Market Intermediation Conference, Cambridge
- SEA Meetings, Chicago
- Population Association of America (PAA) Meetings, New York

2008 Economic Demography Workshop, PAA Meetings, New Orleans

2009 SEA Meetings, San Antonio

- European Meeting of the Econometric Society, Barcelona
- PAA Meetings, Detroit
- Institute of the Study of Labor (IZA) 1st Annual Meeting on the Economics of Risky Behaviors, Washington

2011 SEA Meetings, Washington (3)

2012 SEA Meetings, New Orleans (2)

- European Society of Population Economics, Bern

2013 American Economics Association (AEA) Meetings, San Diego

- RWJF Public Health Law Research Annual Meeting, New Orleans
- American Law and Economics Association (ALEA) Meetings, Nashville
- NBER Summer Institute Economics of Crime Working Group, Cambridge

2014 RWJF Public Health Law Research Annual Meeting, Atlanta

SKILLS

- Parametric and nonparametric statistics: linear and nonlinear estimation, nonparametric regression, discrete choice modeling, partial identification
- Impact evaluation: evaluation design, survey design, randomized control trials, contingent choice experiments
- Simulation-based inference: bootstrap inference, Monte Carlo simulation
- Economics research: applied econometrics, labor economics, health economics, demography
- Computing: statistical computing and software development (Stata, R, MATLAB), markup (\LaTeX , HTML, XML), scripting (Python, shell), version control (git), GIS
- Scientific communication: technical writing, data visualization, grant proposals

REFERENCES

- Professor David Neumark
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